

General Assembly

Amendment

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LCO No. 6519



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To: Senate Bill No. **505** File No. Cal. No.

"AN ACT CONCERNING A SECOND CHANCE SOCIETY."

- 1 Strike sections 33 and 34 in their entirety and insert the following in
- 2 lieu thereof:
- 3 "Sec. 33. Section 54-76b of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2016*):
- 5 (a) For the purposes of [sections 54-76b to 54-76n, inclusive] this
- 6 section and sections 54-76c to 54-76q, inclusive, as amended by this act:
- 7 (1) "Youth" means (A) a [minor who has reached the age of sixteen
- 8 years but has not reached the age of eighteen years] person who is
- 9 <u>sixteen years of age or older but under twenty-one years of age</u> at the
- 10 time of the alleged offense, or (B) a [child] person who has been
- 11 transferred to the regular criminal docket of the Superior Court

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- pursuant to section 46b-127, as amended by this act; and
- 13 (2) "Youthful offender" means a youth who (A) is charged with the 14 commission of a crime which is not a class A felony or a violation of 15 section 14-222a, subsection (a) or subdivision (1) of subsection (b) of 16 section 14-224, section 14-227a or 14-227g, subdivision (2) of subsection 17 (a) of section 53-21 or section <u>53-247</u>, 53a-70, 53a-70a, 53a-70b, 53a-71, 18 53a-72a or 53a-72b, except a violation involving consensual sexual 19 intercourse or sexual contact between [the youth] a person who is 20 sixteen years of age or older but under eighteen years of age and 21 another person who is thirteen years of age or older but under sixteen 22 years of age, and (B) has not previously been convicted of a felony in 23 the regular criminal docket of the Superior Court or been previously 24 adjudged a serious juvenile offender or serious juvenile repeat 25 offender, as defined in section 46b-120, as amended by this act.
- (b) The Interstate Compact for Adult Offender Supervision under
 section 54-133 shall apply to youthful offenders.
- Sec. 34. Subsection (a) of section 54-76c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective* 30 October 1, 2016):
- 31 (a) In any case where an information or complaint has been laid 32 charging a defendant with the commission of a crime, and where it 33 appears that the defendant is a youth, such defendant shall be 34 presumed to be eligible to be adjudged a youthful offender and the 35 court having jurisdiction shall, but only as to the public, order the 36 court file sealed, unless such defendant (1) is charged with the 37 commission of a crime which is a class A felony or a violation of 38 section 14-222a, subsection (a) or subdivision (1) of subsection (b) of 39 section 14-224, section 14-227a or 14-227g, subdivision (2) of subsection 40 (a) of section 53-21 or section <u>53-247</u>, 53a-70, 53a-70a, 53a-70b, 53a-71, 41 53a-72a or 53a-72b, except a violation involving consensual sexual 42 intercourse or sexual contact between [the youth] a person who is 43 sixteen years of age or older but under eighteen years of age and

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another person who is thirteen years of age or older but under sixteen years of age, or (2) has been previously convicted of a felony in the regular criminal docket of the Superior Court or been previously adjudged a serious juvenile offender or serious juvenile repeat offender, as defined in section 46b-120, as amended by this act. Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, upon motion of the prosecuting official, the court may order that an investigation be made of such defendant under section 54-76d, for the purpose of determining whether such defendant is ineligible to be adjudged a youthful offender, provided the court file shall remain sealed, but only as to the public, during such investigation."

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